

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Hubscher, et al.

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For: A METHOD FOR THE VISUAL DETECTION OF SPECIFIC ANTIBODIES IN HUMAN  
SERUM BY THE USE OF LATERAL FLOW ASSAYS

The Honorable Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

First, please note that all correspondence should go to the address of the undersigned  
attorney, said address being:

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**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please cancel claims 1-26 and claims 41-66.

**REMARKS**

The application is now in condition for allowance. Please call the undersigned at (301) 603-  
9071 if you have any questions or comments. Thank you.

Very truly yours,



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